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**NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS
FOR 1932 AND 1933**

Because of the action taken by the Conference at its annual business session last June in Minneapolis, the Committee on Nominations will bring in two sets of nominees for officers and members of the Executive Committee of the Conference. The first set of nominees are for election at Philadelphia for the year 1932-1933. This election will be held on the old plan of voting by those present at the annual meeting in Philadelphia. The Committee on Nominations will also announce at Philadelphia a set of nominees for election at the annual meeting in 1933 at Detroit, for the year 1933-1934. The Detroit election will be held on the new basis of "vote by mail" which will enable every qualified voting member of the Conference to cast his ballot regardless of whether or not he is present at the annual meeting.

Mr. Shelby Harrison, the Chairman of the Nominating Committee, realizing the unusual importance of the work of this Committee this year, is extremely anxious to have a widespread expression of opinion from the members of the Conference as to nominations. Please send your suggestions directly to him at 130 East 22nd Street, New York City. Each set of nominees calls for one or more candidates for President, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Vice-Presidents, and ten nominees for members of the Executive Committee to serve a term of three years, five of whom are to be elected. Please give this question serious consideration and send your suggestions to Mr. Harrison.

**INVITATION FOR THE ANNUAL
MEETING OF 1934**

The Time and Place Committee will hear the invitations for the annual meeting of 1934 at Philadelphia. Already Montreal and Toronto, Canada, have indicated their intention of inviting the Conference. Kansas City has served notice for several years that they intend to keep on inviting the Conference until they get it. There have been one or two inklings from other cities that they might also invite the Conference. The representatives of the cities inviting the Conference for 1934 should plan to be at Philadelphia for the first meeting of the Time and Place Committee on Monday, May 16th.

Information concerning the requirements of a city entertaining the Conference may be secured from the Conference office. Official invitations should be sent in advance to Mr. W. Frank Persons, Chairman of the Committee on Time and Place, 713 Tower Building, Washington, D. C. All invitations should be accompanied by the uniform information and guarantee blank which may be secured from the Conference office.

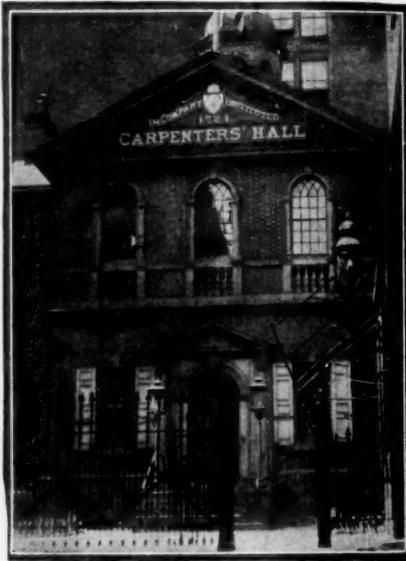
Hotel Reservations

It is none too early now to send in your hotel reservation. Latest reports from Philadelphia are that many people have already reserved their rooms for the week of the Conference. It is a case of first come, first

served. Mr. Frank Devine, Convention and Tourist Bureau, 12th and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia, Chairman of the Committee on Hotels and Housing, will be glad to do his best to give you the kind of a room you want, located where you want it, and at the price you want. If he can not give you exactly what you want, he will do the next best thing possible. Send hotel reservations directly to Mr. Devine. We suggest that you use the blank for that purpose on page 15.

**THE SECOND INTERNATIONAL
CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL
WORK**

Dates—Since the announcement of dates of the International Conference in the November Bulletin word has come from Germany that the Conference will close on the night of July 14th instead of continuing through the 15th as originally planned. However, an extra session of each of the Commissions will be held on one of the



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afternoons early in the Conference, probably Monday, July 11th. The opening session of the Conference will be on the night of July 10th and the first plenary session on the morning of July 11th. Each Commission will hold four meetings during the week. The final session of the Conference will be on Thursday evening, July 14th.

American Headquarters—Arrangements have been made for hotel headquarters at Hotel Monopol Metropole on Gneisenau Strasse. The hotel will serve as a rendezvous for American delegates. Many of them will wish to stay here.

There will also be an American headquarters established in a booth near the general Conference Headquarters in the convention building. An attempt will be made here to keep a complete file of American delegates and to have available information regarding the Conference and consultation opportunities.

Program—A tentative program was published in the last issue of the Conference Bulletin. It was hoped that by this issue we could also publish the names of the speakers, but the complete list has not yet reached us from Germany. It is expected that the complete program will be available for publication in the next issue of the Conference Bulletin about April 1st. In the meantime reports from the International Conference office at Frankfurt indicate that an increasing number of countries are participating in the program preparation work so that the discussion of the important subjects will represent a wide variety of viewpoints.

The Program Preparatory Commissions in the United States are all at work and in some cases have already forwarded some material to the Secretariat of the International Conference at Frankfurt.

Program Preparatory Commissions in the United States—Since the last issue of the Bulletin, Program Preparatory Commission 6, The Importance for the Family of Cultural Efforts on Behalf of Young People and of Adult Education, has been organized and is now at work. Its membership is as follows: E. C. Lindeman, New York School of Social Work, New York City, Chairman; Mrs. S. Gruenberg, Child Study Association of America, New York City, Vice-Chairman; Albert J. Kennedy, National Federation of Settlements, New York City; Howard Braucher, National Recreation Association, New York City, New York; Lyman Bryson, California Association for Adult Education, Los Angeles, California; Thomas L. Cotton, Foreign Language Information Service, New York City; Karl de Schweinitz, Community Council of Philadelphia; Margaret Edwards, School of Home Economics, Alabama College, Montevallo, Alabama; Thomas Eliot, Sociology Department, Northwestern University; Harry L. Glucksman, Jewish Welfare Board, New York City; Eugene Kinckle Jones, National Urban League, New York City; Benson Y. Landis, Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, New York City; Ruth Larned, International Migration Service, New York City; Gertrude Laws, Los Angeles, California; Mabel Leslie, Art Workshop of the Rivington Neighborhood Association, New York City; Rhoda McCulloch, National Board, Y. W. C. A., New York City; A. J. Muste, The Fellowship of Reconciliation, New York City; Flora M. Thurston, National Council of Parent Education, New York City; Miriam Van Waters, Massachusetts Reformatory for Women, Framingham; Edna White, National Council of Parent Education, New York City.

Helen L. Myrick, Society for Mental Hygiene, Chicago, and Florence Nesbitt of the United Charities of Chicago, have been added to Commission 2, Social Work and the Family. Miriam Van Waters, Framingham, Massachusetts, has been changed from Commission 3, Broken Homes as a Sociological, Educational, and Social Problem, to Commission 6.

Official Delegates—Any social work or allied organization in the United States interested in sending a representative to the International Conference of Social Work at Frankfurt-am-Main, Germany, is welcome to do so. There will be no official delegation representing the United States as a whole with credentials issued from the office of the National Conference of Social Work or from any other source. Membership in the International Conference is personal and open to any and all who are interested.

German-American Institute—Plans are going forward steadily for the German-American Institute. A number of reservations have already been made at the Conference office. The program was printed in the last issue of the Conference Bulletin. The German speakers are as follows:

Dr. Walter Friedlander, Director of the Child Welfare Department of Prenzlauer Berg, northern district of the city of Berlin, President of the Child Welfare Committee of the Hauptausschuss fur Arbeitewohlfahrt and Professor of the Seminar fur Wohlfahrtspflege in Berlin;

Mrs. Adele Schreiber, member of the German Reichstag for many years, Vice-President of the International Women's Suffrage League, and lecturer in the United States in 1924;

Dr. Hertha Kraus, Cologne, Stadt-direktor, head of the Welfare Department of the city of Cologne. She has been in America twice and has worked with the Friends-Organizations in Germany in the years during and after the war;

Burgermeister Pick, Stettin, well known in Germany for his experiments to secure paid work for the unemployed, for building houses for tuberculosis families and one of the experts of the German unemployed problem;

Oberstudiendirektor Dr. Muller, Wuppertal-Barmen, head of a girls' school in a western city of the Reich, was in America and Canada in 1931. In 1928, he was Professor at Northwestern University;

Dr. Ruth Weiland, General Secretary of the Deutsche Zentrale fur freie Jugendwohlfahrt and of the Reichsarbeitsgemeinschaft fur Jugenderholungs-und Heilfursorge (JEHRAG). In 1927 and 1929, Dr. Weiland lectured at the University of Chicago, addressed the National Conference of Social Work at Des Moines, Iowa. She is a member of the board of the Union Internationale de Secours aux Enfants in Genf.

In order to cover the expenses of the German-American Institute, a special admission fee of \$2.00 will be charged. Reservation can be made by payment of the fee at the office of the National Conference of Social Work in Columbus. Make checks payable to Raymond Clapp, Treasurer, Committee on International Conference of Social Work.

Membership—Any person interested is welcome to become a member of the International Conference of Social

Work. The membership fee is \$5.00 and covers the entire period of the Conference. It is not an annual fee. The membership fee may be sent to the office of the National Conference of Social Work for which a temporary receipt will be issued. Checks should be made payable to Raymond Clapp, Treasurer, Committee on International Conference of Social Work. The membership cards will be issued early in the spring. There are now over two hundred members in the United States.

Special Subscription—In addition to securing members in the International Conference of Social Work, the Committee on International Conference in the United States is responsible for securing a direct appropriation of approximately \$2000.00. Each country participating is making a similar appropriation the size of which is based upon its population. In the United States this amount is being raised by individual subscription. It is hoped that a large number of social workers and friends of social work will wish to share in this. It is desired that there shall be an expression of good will and cooperation from as large a number of the friends of social work as possible. If 1500 individuals subscribe an average of \$2.00 it will furnish not only this direct appropriation but the funds needed by the Committee on International Conference to carry on its work of cooperation with the Secretariat of the International Conference. Subscriptions should be sent directly to the office of the National Conference of Social Work, from which they will be promptly acknowledged. Checks should be made payable to Raymond Clapp, Treasurer, Committee on International Conference of Social Work.

Seminar Travel Groups—Since the last issue of the Conference Bulletin several changes have been made necessary in the arrangements of the Seminar Travel Groups. The Group on Prisons and Correctional Institutions has been withdrawn due to the inability of Mr. Moran to assume this leadership. A new one has been added on Adult Education under the leadership of Mr. E. C. Lindeman. The two general hospitality groups have been combined into one under the leadership of Mr. Paul T. Beisser of Baltimore. It is with great regret that we have to announce that Mr. Emil Steger has found it impossible to carry through his plan of leading the Seminar Travel Group on Family and Child Welfare. Mr. Kenneth L. M. Pray, Director of the Pennsylvania School of Social Work, has assumed the leadership in his place. Mr. Kenneth Widmer has also found it impossible because of pressure of business to go abroad this summer, but Mr. Homer Calver, formerly Secretary of the American Public Health Association, has assumed the leadership of the Public Health Group.

The final revised itineraries, statements of costs, etc., and all of the details may be secured from the Open Road, 20 West 43rd Street, New York City.

**RAILROAD CERTIFICATES
REDUCED FARES TO
PHILADELPHIA**

Arrangements have been made with the various passenger associations to have the reduced railway rate for Conference members attending the annual meeting at Philadelphia next May. A change has been made in the arrangement this year so that persons attending the Conference will have a thirty-day return privilege. Reduced fare is one and one-half the full fare one way. The identification certificate entitling Conference members to the reduced fare will be mailed to all Conference members on March 28. If you have not received yours by April 10 notify us at once.

Under the regulations of the railway we can not issue railroad certificates except to bona fide members of the Conference. Member agencies receive a supply for staff and board members. The dates of sale this year have been arranged to permit arrival at Philadelphia as early as May 12th if one wishes to attend Associate Group meetings that are held prior to the opening of the Conference itself. Detailed instructions as to the use of certificates, dates of sale, return date, routing, etc., will be sent with each certificate.

Conference Registration

All members of the National Conference of Social Work attending the annual meeting in Philadelphia may register for the Conference without the payment of an additional fee. Agency members will have issued to them prior to the Conference a supply of identification forms which enables them to designate members of their staff or board who can also register without the payment of the usual registration fee.

Regular organization members whose membership fee is \$25.00 per annum, will have ten of these certificates. Organization members paying the Sustaining Membership fee of \$10.00 will be supplied with four. It is important that organization members issue these registration certificates to members of their staff or board who are attending the Conference.

There was considerable confusion at the registration desk last year when representatives of member organizations wished to register without the payment of the registration fee but did not have their proper identification with them. These will be issued

RENEW

Renew your membership. In these busy days, we all stand in need of a bit of memory jogging. To you who have failed for one reason or another to send in your check for annual membership when due, we are offering this little reminder. Though "little" in some respects, it is big for our Conference. Each and every member is a person of very considerable importance. If we had money above our needs, we still would be solicitous about the continuance of our pleasant relationship with you. The absolute need of funds is a spur to the urgency of our request. Please receive this invitation cordially, and if your membership is in arrears, let your check be forthcoming. Act on the nonce. Renew.

CHARLES C. STILLMAN,
Treasurer.

directly to the member organizations from the Conference office about April 10th.

Each member of the Conference is urged to bring his membership card with him and present it when registering. It saves confusion and settles all argument.

Non members of the Conference are all welcome at the annual meeting but a registration fee of \$2.00 will be charged to such non members.

Get Acquainted Dinner

The Get Acquainted Dinner organized last year by "Uncle Alec" was such a great success that plans are being made for another one this year. It will be held on Monday evening, May 16th, in the Ballroom of the Benjamin Franklin Hotel. A special program of very brief informal talks by outstanding leaders of the Conference is being arranged. The purpose of this Get Acquainted Dinner is to enable newcomers to the Conference to become easily acquainted with each other and with people from different sections of the country. It is a good idea to make friends early in the Conference week. No introductions are necessary and all who wish are welcome. Arrangements are being made so as to provide for the advance sale of tickets in order to avoid the congestion at the Conference ticket office the first day or two of the Conference. Look in the May Bulletin for the complete details.

Conference Dinner

We wish we could announce now the plans for the Conference Dinner, but for good reasons the announcement of the details of the program

will have to be withheld until the next issue of the Bulletin. However, we can say this. For the first time



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in several years there will be adequate seating capacity. The Dinner will be served on the floor of the Municipal Auditorium. It is expected that the Dinner will be in honor of a most noteworthy occasion in social work and that the program of brief addresses will be from such outstanding leaders that no person attending the Conference will want to miss this occasion. The Conference Dinner will be held on Wednesday evening, May 18th, at 6:30 P. M., and will be followed by the President's reception. In the next issue of the Bulletin, plans will be announced for making reservations for this dinner in advance of the Conference.

The Conference Program

(The details in this program are tentative and are not to be considered entirely definite. In the May Conference Bulletin, the detailed program will be printed.)

GENERAL SESSIONS

Sunday, May 15th, 8:30 P. M.

President's Address.

Social Responsibilities Arising from Unemployment.

Monday, May 16th, 8:30 P. M.

The Social Responsibility of Industry.

Tuesday, May 17th, 8:30 P. M.

The Crisis in Social Work.

Wednesday, May 18th, 6:30 P. M.—Conference Dinner.

9:00 P. M.—President's Reception.

Friday, May 20th, 8:30 P. M.

The Partnership of Public and Private Service.

Saturday, May 21st, 1:00 P. M.

Conference Luncheon.

Social Work—An International Bond.

DIVISION I CHILDREN

Mary Irene Atkinson, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.

The Functions in a Community Child Welfare Program.

1. Private Child Caring Institutions and Agencies.
2. Public Child Caring Agencies.

Tuesday, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division III—Health).

Demonstration of a Complete Medical Service for Children.

Friday, May 20th, 9:00 A. M.

Group Discussion 1. Opportunities and Responsibilities of Board Members.

Group Discussion 2. Integration of the Various Phases of Institutional Care.

Group Discussion 3. (Joint Session with the National Probation Association.)

Juvenile Court Detention—(Report of Study of Detention Homes made by National Probation Association).

Group Discussion 4.

Problems of a State Children's Bureau.

Group Discussion 5. New Processes in Children's Work.

Saturday, May 21st, 9:00 A. M.

The Effects of the Economic Crisis upon Children.

See also program Division II, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.; Girls Protective Council, May 19th, 3:00 P. M.

DIVISION II DELINQUENTS AND CORRECTION

Jessie F. Binford, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the International Association of Police-women).

Crime in the United States.

Reports of the National Commission on Law Observance and Enforcement.

Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.

Group Discussion 1. (Joint Session with the Girls Protective Council and the International Association of Police-women).

Preventive Work in Crime Prevention in Police Departments.

Group Discussion 2. (Joint Session with the American Social Hygiene Association).

Sex Education for Case Workers with Delinquents.

Group Discussion 3. (Joint Session with the National Probation Association).

Trained Personnel for Reformatory Institutions.

Group Discussion 4. Program to be announced.

Group Discussion 5. Program to be announced.

Wednesday, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the National Probation Association and the International Association of Policewomen).

Scientific Treatment vs. Effectively Administered Punishment.

1. Scientific Treatment.

2. Effectively Administered Punishment.

Thursday, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division I—Children, and Division IV—The Family).

Cooperation of Case Working Agencies in Problems of Delinquency and Crime.

1. Case Work of Family Welfare Agencies.
2. Case Work of Protective Prevention Agencies.

Saturday, May 21st, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the International Association of Police-women).

Juvenile Court on Trial.

See also programs Division XII, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.; National Probation Association, May 17th, 1:00 P. M.

DIVISION III

HEALTH

Anna Drake, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 11:00 A. M.

Group Discussion.

The Public Health Nurse and the Social Worker, Common Problems and Common Goals.

Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.

The White House Conference on Child Health and Protection.

1. Using the Reports and Recommendations of the Conference as a Measuring Rod for Local Programs.
2. How Have the Recommendations Served to Stimulate Local Programs.

Wednesday, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division V—Industrial and Economic Problems, and the American Social Hygiene Association).

Industrial Health.

1. A Plan for Establishing Health Departments in Smaller Industries.
2. Hidden Problems of Hard Times.

Friday, May 20th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the Home Economists in Social Work.)

Child Health and Unemployment.

1. Plans for Alleviating the Bad Effects of Unemployment Upon Children.
2. During a Depression to What Shall We Hold Fast in Nutrition.

Saturday, May 21st, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division IV—The Family, and Division VIII—Organization of Social Forces).

Community Relationships Involved in 100% Registration in Social Service Exchange by all Agencies, Including Health.

1. From the Standpoint of the Whole Community.
2. From the Standpoint of the Nursing Organizations.
3. From the Standpoint of the Family Welfare Organization.
4. From the Standpoint of the Hospital Social Service Department.

See also program Division I, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.

DIVISION IV THE FAMILY

Anna Kempshall, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 11:00 A. M.

The Caseworker's Role in Treatment.

Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.

Contribution to Psychological Factors in Anti-Social Behavior.

Wednesday, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.

Standards—Content and Techniques of Field Training.

Group Discussion 1. Training in Public Welfare.

Group Discussion 2. Training in Emergency Work in Large Cities.

Group Discussion 3. Training in Emergency Work in Small Cities.

Group Discussion 4. (Joint Session with the Home Economists in Social Work.) Training of Emergency Workers from Home Economics Point of View.

Group Discussion 5. Training for Emergency Work—Evaluation of Winter's Experience from Point of View of Schools of Social Work.

Friday, May 20th, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division VI—Neighborhood and Community Life.)

Individual Adjustment in Periods of Great Social Change.

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Saturday, May 21st, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the Family Welfare Association of America.)
 1. Developments in the Public Welfare Program.
 2. Pathfinding Study on Governmental Relief Methods.

See also programs Division II, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.; Division III, May 21st, 9:00 A. M.; Family Welfare Association of America, May 20th, 3:00 P. M.

**DIVISION V
INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS**

Paul U. Kellogg, Chairman

Tuesday, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Sessions with Division IV—The Family.)
 (Duplicating the program of the International Conference at Frankfurt—the group discussions led by the American Chairman of the Frankfurt sections.)

- Group Discussion 1. Social Case Work and the Family.
- Group Discussion 2. Remedial Agencies and the Family.
- Group Discussion 3. Economic Protection of the Family.
- Group Discussion 4. Social Work for Alien Families.
- Group Discussion 5. Education of Youth for Family Life.

Thursday, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.

Program to be announced.

Friday, May 20th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division VII—Mental Hygiene.)
 Mental Hygiene and Hard Times.

- 1. What Psychiatric Social Workers Have to Share With the Rest of Us.
- 2. What the Hard Times Have to Teach Mental Hygienists.
- 3. Our Own Human Behavior in Facing the Depression.

Saturday, May 21st, 9:00 A. M.

Social Economic Planning.

- 1. An Economic Council for the U. S. A.
- 2. Social Planning and Social Work.

See also programs Division III, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.; Division IX, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.

**DIVISION VI
INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS**

Eugene T. Lies, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.

Psychological Factors in Community Processes.

Tuesday, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division VIII—Organization of Social Forces.)
 Leisure.

- 1. The Age-Old Struggle for Leisure.
- 2. Training for Leisure.
- 3. When Leisure Palls.
- 4. How Philadelphia Dealt with the Leisure of Unemployed Men.

Wednesday, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.

Music.

Enriching Community Life Through Music.

Friday, May 20th, 9:00 A. M.

Group Discussion 1.

Disintegrating Influences in Neighborhood, Small Town, and Rural Family Life.

Group Discussion 2. (Joint Session with the Church Conference on Social Work.)

What Can the Church Do to Further Neighborhood and Community Betterment?

Group Discussion 3.

Contributions of Negroes to American Culture.

Group Discussion 4. (Joint Session with Division X—The Immigrant.)

How the Foreign-Born Become American.

Group Discussion 5.

Conserving Human Values in Suburban Planning.

Saturday, May 21st, 9:00 A. M.

Art.

Enriching Community Life Through Art.

See also program Division IV, May 20th, 11:00 A. M.

**DIVISION VII
MENTAL HYGIENE**

Harry M. Tiebout, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the American Association of Psychiatric Social Workers.)

Direct Treatment Work with Children.

Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division IX—Public Officials and Administration.)

Parole of Patients from Mental Hospitals.

- 1. From the Hospital Viewpoint.
- 2. From the Community Viewpoint.
- 3. The Integration of the Hospital and the Community in Parole.

Thursday, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.

The Role of Mental Hygiene Literature.

Friday, May 20th, 11:00 A. M.

Five Group Discussions on:
 What Happens to the Mental Health of Individuals During Hard Times?

Saturday, May 21st, 11:00 A. M.

The Time Element in Treatment.

See also program Division IV, May 20th, 11:00 A. M.

**DIVISION VIII
ORGANIZATION OF SOCIAL FORCES**

Pierce Atwater, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 11:00 A. M.

What the Emergency Period Indicates With Respect to the Future Organization of the Community for Relief and the Prevention of Destitution.

Tuesday, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.

How Can We Interpret More Effectively to the Public the Role Played in the Community's Welfare Program by Social Settlements, Recreation Agencies and National Program Agencies?

Thursday, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.

What Modifications Do Non-Relief Social Work Programs Face If Relief Needs Continue With the Same Intensity in 1933?

Friday, May 20th, 11:00 A. M.

- 1. Has Depression Bred Autocracy in Chest and Council Procedure?
- 2. Is Agency Independence Disappearing?

Saturday, May 21st, 11:00 A. M.

How Is the Council to Be a Real and Potent Instrumentality for Community Planning?

See also programs Division III, May 21st, 9:00 A. M.; Division VI, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.; Division XII, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.

**DIVISION IX
PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND ADMINISTRATION**

William J. Ellis, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division V—Industrial and Economic Problems, and the American Association of Public Welfare Officials.)

- 1. Coordinating Private and Public Relief Work in our Cities.
- 2. Lessons from the Winter's Experience of State Departments of Welfare in Meeting Unemployment Distress.
- 3. National Front on Public Unemployment Relief.

Tuesday, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Sessions with the American Association of Public Welfare Officials.)

Group Discussion 1.

Opportunities for Social Research in the Public Welfare Field.

Group Discussion 2.

The Preparation and Training of Public Child and Family Welfare Workers.

Group Discussion 3.

Training for Institutional Inspection Services.

Group Discussion 4.

Administration Problems and Policies Connected with Old Age Relief.

Wednesday, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division XI—Professional Standards and Education, and the American Association of Public Welfare Officials.)

The Need of Trained Personnel in Public Welfare Services.

1. Defining Public Welfare Work in Professional Terms.
2. Educational Methods for the Training of Public Welfare Workers.

Friday, May 20th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the American Association of Public Welfare Officials.)

The County as a Public Welfare Unit.

1. The Significance of the Movement Toward the County as a Welfare Unit.
2. Coordination and Development of Welfare Services in the County.

Saturday, May 21st, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the American Association of Public Welfare Officials.)

The Growing Importance of State Welfare Work.

1. In Leadership.
2. In Financial Support for Local Welfare Services.

See also program Division VII, May 17th, 11:00 A. M.

DIVISION X THE IMMIGRANT

Sophonisba P. Breckinridge, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.

1. The Present State of Immigration and Naturalization Legislation.
2. Immigration and Population Problems.

Tuesday, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.

Immigration and the Family.

1. International Enforcement of Maintenance Orders.
2. International Aspects of Divorce.

Wednesday, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.

Group Discussion 1.

The Alien and Employment.

Group Discussion 2.

Immigrant Housing.

Group Discussion 3.

The Immigrants' Contributions to American Culture.

Friday, May 20th, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division II—Delinquents and Correction and the International Association of Policewomen.)

The Immigrant and Lawless Law Enforcement.

1. Lawless Law Enforcement.
2. Deportation as Practiced by the United States Immigration Service.

Saturday, May 21st, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division I—Children and Division II—Delinquents and Correction.)

The School as a Resource for the Prevention of Delinquency.

DIVISION XI PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS AND EDUCATION

Edith Abbott, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division IX—Public Officials and Administration, American Association of Public Welfare Officials, American Association of Social Workers, and American Association of Schools of Professional Social Work.)

1. Proposed Statutes for the Registration of Social Workers.
2. Can Professional Interests Be Promoted by Joint Association?

Tuesday, May 17, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with the American Association of Social Workers.) Scheme of Retirement Allowances for Members of the Professional Social Work Group.

Thursday, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.

The First Year of Professional Graduate Study.

1. Subjects Needed in the Classroom.
2. Purpose and Method in Field Work.

Friday, May 20th, 11:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division I—Children.) State and County Organization Proposed by the Recent Code Commissions.

Saturday, May 21st, 11:00 A. M.

The Contribution of Social Research to Social Work.

(See also program Division IX, May 18, 9:00 A. M.)

DIVISION XII**EDUCATIONAL PUBLICITY**

Louise M. Clevenger, Chairman

Monday, May 16th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division VIII—Organization of Social Forces.)

What Shall We Tell the Public Next Year?

Tuesday, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.

(Joint Session with Division II—Delinquents and Correction.)

Educational Values in Wickersham Report.

1. Utilizing the Wickersham Report Effectively.
2. Standards Reflected in the Wickersham Report—Suggested Measuring Scales.

Thursday, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.

Creative Writing in Relation to Social Problems.

1. Creative Writing and Interpreting Social Efforts and Effects.
2. Creative Writing and Propaganda.

Saturday, May 21st, 11:00 A. M.

Factual Basis of Interpreting Social Efforts.

1. The Facts Behind the "Feel" of Accomplishment or Failure.
2. Separating the Tangibles from the Intangibles.

COMMITTEE ON THE AMERICAN INDIAN

Lewis Meriam, Chairman

Thursday, May 19th, 11:00 A. M.

The Work of the Indian Office.

1. The General Administration of Indian Affairs.
2. Social Aspects of Indian Work.

Friday, May 20th, 11:00 A. M.

The Great Unfinished Task Remaining Before Us.

1. Needs in Human Relationships.
2. Needs in Administration of Indian Property.

It Is Important This Year

To give your community the benefit of the best experience of other communities in meeting the most serious social situation your community has ever seen.

Associate and Special Group Programs

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF HOSPITAL SOCIAL WORKERS

Henri-Ette Kirch, Chairman.

Monday, May 16th.

- 1:00 P. M. Annual Business Meeting.
- 3:00 P. M. Annual Business Meeting.

Tuesday, May 17th.

- 3:00 P. M.
Social Treatment.

Thursday, May 19th.

- 3:00 P. M.
Group Discussion 1.
Criteria for Accepting and Rejecting Cases for Study and Treatment.
- Group Discussion 2.
Place as a Factor in the Interview.
- Group Discussion 3.
Staff Education.
- 6:00 P. M. Annual Dinner Meeting.
Creativeness in Its Relation to Professional Life.

Friday, May 20th.

- 3:00 P. M.
Discussion of Case Competition Committee Report for 1932.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKERS

Elizabeth Dexter, Chairman.

Monday, May 16th.

- 1:00 P. M.
1. Present Day Tendencies in Psychiatric Social Work.
2. Business Meeting.

Tuesday, May 17th.

- 3:00 P. M.
1. Value and Limitation of the Interview as a Form of Therapy in Treatment of the Child.
2. Techniques of Case Selection.
3. Problem of Money in the Life of the Child.

Thursday, May 19th.

- 3:00 P. M.
Case Work Techniques in Treatment of Adult Clients.
1. As Viewed by the Family Case Worker.
2. As Viewed by the State Hospital Worker.
3. As Viewed by the Child Guidance Worker.

6:30 P. M.

- Contribution of Psychoanalysis to Law.
See also program Division VII, May 16th.
11:00 A. M.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

Frances Taussig, Chairman

Tuesday, May 17th.

- 1:00 P. M. Program to be announced.
- 6:00 P. M. Executive Committee and Council Meeting.

Thursday, May 19th.

- 9:00 A. M.
Annual Meeting.

AMERICAN SOCIAL HYGIENE ASSOCIATION

Doris G. Chandler, Chairman

Thursday, May 19th.

- 1:00 P. M.
Social Hygiene in Racial Problems.

Friday, May 20th.

- 6:00 P. M. (Joint Session with the Church Conference of Social Work.)
Social Hygiene and the Family.
1. Social Hygiene Implications in Broken Homes.
2. Social Hygiene Factors in the Health of the Family.

See also programs Division II, May 17th, 9:00 A. M.; Group Discussion 2; Division III, May 18th, 9:00 A. M.; Girls Protective Council, May 19th, 3:00 P. M.

BIG BROTHER AND SISTER FEDERATION

R. C. Sheldon, Chairman

Monday, May 16th.

- 1:00 P. M.
1. Layman—Professional; Plus or Versus.
2. Suggestions for Studies of Behavior Attitudes in Public School Children.
- 3:00 P. M.
1. Monthly Conferences or Monthly Reports?
2. Leadership in Catholic Big Brother and Big Sister Service.

Tuesday, May 17th.

- 1:00 P. M.
1. The Juvenile Court Plus Big Brother and Big Sister Service.
2. The Visiting Teacher Plus Big Brother and Big Sister Service.
- 3:00 P. M.
1. Child Guidance Clinics Plus Big Brothers and Big Sisters.
2. The School Psychologist Plus Big Brothers and Big Sisters.

Wednesday, May 18th.

- 1:00 P. M.
1. How Much Family Case Work?
2. What the Churches Could Do in Case Work for Children.

Thursday, May 19th.

- 1:00 P. M.
Job Finding vs. Vocational Guidance.
- 3:00 P. M.
1. Good Publicity—or None?
2. Big Brother and Big Sister Service in Communities of Less Than One Hundred and Fifty Thousand.

Friday, May 20th.

- 1:00 P. M.
1. Hope for Colored Children.
2. A Successful Colored Big Brother Organization.
- 3:00 P. M.
1. After Care—The Boy and the Girl.
2. Before After Care—The Parents.

CHILD WELFARE LEAGUE OF AMERICA

Henry W. Thurston, Chairman

Monday, May 16th.

- 3:00 P. M.
How Can We Conserve Under Public Auspices Those Social Work Values Attained Under Private Auspices?

Tuesday, May 17th.

- 3:00 P. M.
Group Discussion 1.
For Executives of Child Placing Agencies.
- Group Discussion 2.
For Executives of Child Caring Institutions.
- Group Discussion 3.
For Case Supervisors of Child Placing Agencies.
- Group Discussion 4.
For Workers in State Departments.
- Group Discussion 5.
For Case Workers in Child Caring Agencies.
- 6:00 P. M. Dinner for Child Welfare League Executives.

Wednesday, May 18th.

- 1:00 P. M.
Some Changes in the Family That Are Significant to Child Welfare Work.

Thursday, May 19th.

- 3:00 P. M.
Social Case Work Technique in the Care of Children Away from Their Own Parents.
- 1. Evaluation of Parents as Parents. What Are the Factors Which Decide the Question of Separation of Children from Natural Parents?
- 2. Interaction of Parent, Child, Foster Parent and Social Worker During Care of Child Away from His Own Home.
- 6:00 P. M. Annual Dinner Meeting.

Friday, May 20th.

- 3:00 P. M.
What Do We Carry Back to Our Child Welfare Work from This Conference?
- 1. Three Minute Reports from Each of Group Discussions of Division I and Child Welfare League.
- 2. Five Minute Reports from the Chairmen of the General Division I Meetings.
- 3. Summary—What Does It All Mean to the League?

See also program Girls Protective Council, May 19th, 3:00 P. M.

CHURCH CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL WORK OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF CHRIST IN AMERICA

The Right Reverend Charles K. Gilbert, Chairman

Sunday, May 15th.

- 3:45 P. M. Registration and Fellowship Meeting.
- 4:30 P. M. Church Conference Vesper. Spiritual Basis of Social Work.

Monday, May 16th.

- 1:00 P. M.
Problems of Personal and Material Adjustment.

Tuesday, May 17th.

- 1:00 P. M.
Group Discussion 1. For Theological Seminary Representatives.
- Group Discussion 2. For Federations of Church Women Representatives.
- 6:00 P. M.
The Social Ideals of the Churches.

Wednesday, May 18th.

- 1:00 P. M.
Denominational Responsibility in Social Work.

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Thursday, May 19th.

1:00 P. M.
Development of Local Churches as Centers of Friendship Between Young People.
3:00 P. M.
The Opportunity of the Church for Service in the Field of Recreation.

Friday, May 20th.

1:00 P. M.
Group Discussion 1. For Church Child-Caring Workers.
Group Discussion 2. For Councils of Churches.
3:00 P. M.
Social Functions of the Rural Church.
See also programs Division VI, May 20th, 9:00 A. M., Group Discussion 2; American Social Hygiene Association, May 20th, 6:00 P. M.; Episcopal Social Work Conference, May 17th, 3:00 P. M.

EPISCOPAL SOCIAL WORK CONFERENCE

The Reverend C. Rankin Barnes, Chairman

Friday, May 13th.

3:00 P. M.
Co-operation of the Woman's Auxiliary in a Diocesan Social Service Program.
4:30 P. M.
Can the Parish Visitor Utilize the Social Case Work Approach?

Saturday, May 14th.

7:00 P. M.
Expanding Programs.
1. The Department of Christian Social Service.
2. The Diocesan Social Service Commission.
3. The Parish Social Service Committee.

Monday, May 16th.

1:00 P. M. (Joint Session with the Girls Friendly Society in the U. S. A.)
The Girl in the Machine Age.
3:00 P. M.
How Can the Family Relations Institute Prepare Clergy for Dealing with Family Problems?
6:00 P. M.
A Fresh Evaluation of Chaplaincies in Public Institutions.

Tuesday, May 17th.

1:00 P. M. (Joint Session with the Church Mission of Help)
The Church and Individual Security.
3:00 P. M. (Joint Session with the Church Conference of Social Work)
1. The Church and Industry.
2. The Church and Social Planning.

FAMILY WELFARE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

Margaret E. Rich, Chairman

Monday, May 16th.

1:00 P. M. Visitors' Council Luncheon.
3:00 P. M. Business Meeting.
6:00 P. M. Men's Smoker.

Tuesday, May 17th.

1:00 P. M. District Secretaries' Luncheon.
The Senior Visitors.
3:00 P. M. Business Meeting.
6:00 P. M. Institute Alumni Dinner.

Thursday, May 19th.

1:00 P. M. Forwarding Center and Inter-City Service.
6:00 P. M. Family Social Work Dinner.

Friday, May 20th.

3:00 P. M. (Joint Session with Division IV—The Family)
The Present Emergency and Family Social Work.
See also program Division IV, May 21st, 11:00 A. M.

GIRLS' PROTECTIVE COUNCIL

Mary C. Hulbert, Chairman

Wednesday, May 18th.

1:00 P. M.
Unemployment Relief.
Emergency Unemployment Relief as It Relates to Protective Work in the United States.

Thursday, May 19th.

3:00 P. M. (Joint Session with Division I—Children, the American Social Hygiene Association, and the Child Welfare League of America.)

Sex Education for the Adolescent.

1. From the Standpoint of the Psychologist.
2. From the Standpoint of the Parent.
3. From the Standpoint of the Teacher.

6:00 P. M. (Joint Session with the International Association of Policewomen)

Trends of Protective Work—Annual Meeting of Girls' Protective Council.

1. In New England.
2. Cities of the Great Lakes.
3. On the Pacific Coast.
4. From the Southwest.

See also program Division II, May 17th, 9:00 A. M., Group Discussion 1.

HOME ECONOMISTS IN SOCIAL WORK

Blanche F. Dimond, Chairman

Tuesday, May 17th.

3:00 P. M.
Child Training and Home Economics.

Thursday, May 19th.

1:00 P. M. Business Meeting.
See also programs Division III, May 20th, 9:00 A. M.; Division IV, May 18th, 9:00 A. M., Group Discussion 4.

MOTHER'S AID GROUP

Nan Roche, Chairman

Monday, May 16th.

3:00 P. M.
Adaptation and Adjustment of Foreign Born.

Thursday, May 19th.

3:00 P. M.
Three Group Discussions on:
Role of the Father in Mothers' Aid Families.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF TRAVELERS AID SOCIETIES

Bessie Chantler, Program Chairman

Monday, May 16th.

1:00 P. M.
Last Year and This Year.

3:00 P. M.
Results of a Study of Children Traveling Alone.

6:00 P. M.
Record Writing—Essentials and Variations.

Tuesday, May 17th.

1:00 P. M.
Board Members' Participation.
3:00 P. M.
Unemployment Influence in Trends of Service.
6:00 P. M.
Program to be announced.

Wednesday, May 18th.

1:00 P. M.
Inter-City Service.

Thursday, May 19th.

3:00 P. M.
Travelers' Aid and the Public Mind.

NATIONAL BOARD OF YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS

Emma P. Hirth, Chairman

Monday, May 16th.

7:30 A. M. Informal Discussion.

Thursday, May 19th.

3:00 P. M.
Essential Principles of Character-Building Agencies.
6:30 P. M.
The Individual in the Group Work Process.

NATIONAL CHILD LABOR COMMITTEE

Courtenay Dinwiddie, Chairman

Tuesday, May 17th.

1:00 P. M.
Child Employment and the School in a Depression Period.

1. What the Public School Systems Can Do to Prevent Child Labor.
2. Must Times Be Hard for Children?

3:00 P. M.

Occupational Dangers to Children.
1. The Injured Child—Five Years Later.
(Observations based on a follow-up study of injured minors.)
2. New Material in the Control of Street Trades.

NATIONAL COMMUNITY CENTER ASSOCIATION

LeRoy E. Bowman, Chairman

Tuesday, May 17th.

3:00 P. M.
Recent Developments in Group Work.

Thursday, May 19th.

6:00 P. M.
Changes in Neighborhood Organization in Minneapolis, St. Paul, and Philadelphia.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTES OF THE NATIONAL BOARD OF THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS

Grace McAllister, Chairman
Evelyn Hersey, Vice-Chairman

Friday, May 13th.

1:00 P. M.
Business Session.
2. Changing Program to Meet Changing Conditions.

2:30 P. M.

1. New Attitudes Toward the Foreign Born; How to Meet Unfair Public Prejudice.
2. The Emergency Program of International Institutes.

6:00 P. M.

Cultural Changes in Nationality Communities.

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Saturday, May 14th.**10:00 A. M.**

Economic Factors in Immigrant Experience

1. The Importance of Taking Industry Into Account in the Lives of Transplanted Folk.
2. Presentation of Case Studies from Selected Industries.

12:15 P. M.

Group Discussion 1. For Executive Secretaries.

Group Discussion 2. For Case Work Directors.

Group Discussion 3. For Group Work Directors.

Group Discussion 4. For Nationality Community Secretaries.

Group Discussion 5. For Committee Women.

Group Discussion 6. For Secretaries of Foreign Communities Departments.

3:00 P. M.

Business Session.

Sunday, May 15th.**3:00 P. M.**

Developments in Organization of the International Institutes.

Group Discussion 1. For International Institutes in Metropolitan Cities.

Group Discussion 2. For International Institutes in Non-Metropolitan Cities.

Group Discussion 3. For Foreign Communities Departments in Smaller Cities.

Monday, May 16th.**3:00 P. M.**

Proposed Changes in Immigration, Deportation and Naturalization Laws. Discussion on Legislative Action.

Tuesday, May 17th.**3:00 P. M.**

1. Social Case Work in International Institutes.

2. Business Session.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF JEWISH SOCIAL SERVICE

John Slawson, Chairman

Thursday, May 12th.

8:00 P. M. Presidential Address.

Friday, May 13th.

10:00 A. M. (Joint Session under Community Organization Committee.)

The Functional Agency in Community Organization Planning.

1:00 P. M. (Joint Session, Health and Aged Committees.)

1:00 P. M. Case Work Committee.

Free Loans.

1:00 P. M. Child Placing Staff Workers. Criteria or Tests for Measuring Success or Failure of Foster Homes.

3:00 P. M. (Joint Session, Case Work and Child Care Committees.) Delinquency.

3:00 P. M. National Organizations Committee.

8:00 P. M. The International Scene of the Jew.

Saturday, May 14th.**10:00 A. M.**

Memorial Service for Dr. Lee K. Frankel.

6:00 P. M. (Joint Session with the National Council for Jewish Education.)

Presidential Address—National Council for Jewish Education.

Relation of the Depression to Cultural and Spiritual Values of American Jewry.

Sunday, May 15th.

8:00 A. M. Case Work Committee. Home Economics.

10:00 A. M.

Economic and Industrial Status of the Jew in America.

1:00 P. M.

Group Discussion 1. (Joint Session Children's Sections.) Relationship of Public and Private Agencies for the Care of Dependent and Neglected Jewish Children.

Group Discussion 2. Regional Case Workers Committee.

Group Discussion 3. Community Organization Committee.

Intermediate Community.

3:00 P. M.

Group Discussion 1. Case Work Committee. Post Depression.

Group Discussion 2. Care of the Aged Committee.

Group Discussion 3. Child Placing Executives.

Further Plans.

Monday, May 16th.

8:00 A. M. Institutional Child Care Committee.

1:00 P. M.

Group Discussion 1. Community Organization Committee. Techniques.

Group Discussion 2. Institutional Child Care Committee.

Group Discussion 3. Care of the Aged Committee.

Group Discussion 4. Regional Case Workers.

3:00 P. M. Business Meeting.

6:00 P. M. Institutional Child Care Committee.

NATIONAL PROBATION ASSOCIATION

Charles L. Chute, Chairman

Thursday, May 12th.**8:00 P. M.**

1. A Rational Attitude Toward Crime. 2. Criminal Treatment of Children in the United States.

Friday, May 13th.**9:30 A. M.**

1. The School and the Juvenile Court. 2. Recreation and Crime Prevention.

2:00 P. M.

1. Measuring Probation Results. 2. Understanding Sex Delinquency.

8:00 P. M.

1. Probation Progress. 2. Science and the Criminal.

Saturday, May 14th.**9:30 A. M.**

Group Discussion 1. Staff Supervision and Training.

Group Discussion 2. Adult Probation Problems.

Group Discussion 3. Rural Problems.

Group Discussion 4. Probation Statistics and Reports.

2:30 P. M.

1. State Supervision of Probation. 2. Reports and Business.

Tuesday, May 17th.

1:00 P. M. (Joint Session with Division II—Delinquents and Correction and the International Association of Policewomen.) Program to be announced.

See also programs Division I, May 20th, 9:00 A. M., Group Discussion 3; Division II, May 17th, 9:00 a. m., Group Discussion 3; Division II, May 18th, 9:00 a. m.

NATIONAL TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION

Arthur J. Strawson, Chairman.

Thursday, May 19th.**1:00 P. M.**

Health Work in Industry.

1. Use and Value of Fluoroscope in Diagnosing Tuberculosis in Youth.

2. Place of Public Health Nursing in Industrial Health Work.

3. Organizing and Financing Health Work in Companies with Less Than 500 Employees.

SOCIAL WORK PUBLICITY COUNCIL

Mrs. Mary Swain Routzahn, Chairman.

Monday, May 16th.**3:00 P. M.**

Interpretation of Educational Agencies —"Ye Olde Character-Building."

6:00 P. M.

What Social Problems Interest Jones.

Tuesday, May 17th.**3:00 P. M.**

Intensive Campaigns of Health Education.

6:00 P. M.

Members Meeting. 1. Business as usual. 2. The Second State in Our Five Year Plan.

Wednesday, May 18th.**1:00 P. M.**

Local Publicity Council Representatives.

Thursday, May 19th.**1:00 P. M.**

Dilemmas in Public Relations.

3:00 P. M.

Group Discussion 1.

Staff Participation in Social Interpretation (With application especially to the social agency with a large staff).

Group Discussion 2.

Social Work and Small City Newspapers (With reference especially to 25,000 and under).

6:00 P. M.

After Hours—The annual satire on social work publicity.

Friday, May 20th.**3:00 P. M.**

(Joint Session with the Association of Community Chests and Councils).

National Publicity in Support of Local Campaigns.

6:00 P. M.

Program to be announced.

SPECIAL GROUPS**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC WELFARE OFFICIALS**

W. J. Ellis, Chairman

Monday, May 16th.**1:00 P. M.**

Business Session.

1. Presidential Address.

2. Annual Report of Director.

Tuesday, May 17th.**1:00 P. M.**

Welfare in Government.

Welfare as a Function of State Government.

Wednesday, May 18th.**1:00 P. M.**

Luncheon at one of Philadelphia's institutions.

EXECUTIVES OF HEALTH COUNCILS

Albert H. Jewell, Chairman

Tuesday, May 17th.**1:00 P. M.**

Informal Discussion.

NATIONAL CHILDREN'S HOME AND WELFARE ASSOCIATION

C. V. Williams, Chairman

Saturday, May 14th.**10:00 A. M.**

The Evaluation of Foster Homes.

1. Free Family Homes.

2. Boarding Homes.

12:30 P. M. Business Meeting.**2:30 P. M.**

1. Interpretation of Child Caring Agencies.

2. Financial Programs.

6:00 P. M.

Reports from States.

Sunday, May 15th.**8:00 A. M.**

Devotional Exercises.

Monday, May 16th.**7:30 A. M.** Business Meeting.**NATIONAL COUNCIL YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS**

Henry Israel, Chairman

Tuesday, May 17th.**8:00 A. M.** Informal Discussion.**Thursday, May 19th.****6:00 P. M.** Informal Discussion.**PENNSYLVANIA CONFERENCE ON SOCIAL WELFARE**

E. D. Solenberger, President

Thursday, May 19th.**1:00 P. M.** Annual Meeting.**SEAMEN'S AGENCIES**

A. A. Buffington, Secretary

Monday, May 16th.**3:00 P. M.**

Relief.

1. Establishing the Status of the Merchant Seamen.
2. Relief for Merchant Seamen.
3. Relief Through Employment.

Tuesday, May 17th.**3:00 P. M.**

Legislation.

The La Follette Act.

Wednesday, May 18th.**1:00 P. M.**

Health.

1. Health Problems and Health Education of Merchant Seamen.
2. Recreation in Relation to Health.

The American Association of Visiting Teachers will hold meetings on Monday, May 16th, 3:00 P. M.; and, Tuesday, May 17th, 1:00 P. M. and 3:00 P. M. Miss Pauline Fairchild is planning the program.

The American Red Cross will hold a luncheon on Thursday, May 19th, at 1:00 P. M.

The Social Service Exchange Committee of the Association of Community Chests and Councils will have meetings on Monday, May 16th, 1:00 P. M.; Thursday, May 19th, 3:00 P. M.; Friday, May 20th, 3:00 P. M.

The American Association of Schools of Professional Social Work is scheduling meetings on Tuesday, May 17th, 3:00 P. M.; and Thursday, May 19th, 6:00 P. M.

The Committee on the Handicapped will hold a luncheon on May 17th, at 1:00 P. M.

The Committee on Relations with Social Agencies of the National Association of Legal Aid Organizations will have a luncheon on Friday, May 20th at 1:00 P. M.

The Inter-City Conference on Illegitimacy will have a luncheon on Friday, May 20th at 1:00 P. M.

The National Federation of Day Nurseries will have a luncheon and afternoon meeting on Friday, May 20th.

The National Federation of Settlements, Albert J. Kennedy, Secretary, will hold meetings from noon, Thursday, May 12th until noon, Sunday, May 15th.

The State Conference Secretaries will have meetings on Monday, May 16th at 1:00 P. M. and 3:00 P. M.

The Survey is planning a tea for Wednesday, May 18th at 3:30 P. M.

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Treasurer's Report To The Members National Conference of Social Work

Your Treasurer herewith presents his report of income and expenditures for the fiscal period June 1 to December 31, 1931, and the budget of income and expenditures for the fiscal year January 1 to December 31, 1932.

Change in Fiscal Year—At its meeting on January 6, 1931, the Executive Committee of the Conference authorized the change of the fiscal year of the Conference from June 1-May 31 to January 1-December 31. The new fiscal period (the calendar year) facilitates more accurate budgeting and the preparation of comparable figures from year to year. Under the old June 1 to May 31 period, it occasionally happened that two annual meetings of the Conference were held within the fiscal year. In each case during the next fiscal year there was no annual meeting of the Conference. The result was that in one year the figures were large as compared with the following year, a condition which did not reflect the true situation.

The Executive Committee at Minneapolis adopted a budget for the fiscal period June 1 to December 31, 1931, a seven months' period which would complete the calendar year of 1931.

Treasurer's Report June 1 to December 31, 1932—The budget presented to the Executive Committee and adopted by it for the fiscal period, June 1, 1931, to December 31, 1931, covered a seven-month period during which the Conference has the heaviest of its expenses such as the printing of the Proceedings, the expenses incident to the annual meeting, etc. It is also a period where six of the seven months are months of relatively low membership income. Therefore, the budget adopted for the seven-month period estimated a deficit at the end of that period of \$5209.26, consisting of \$2300.00 of unpaid bills on the Proceedings which had been carried over and an estimated operating deficit of \$2909.26. The memorandum statement of accrued resources and liabilities at the end of the seven-month period shows that the actual deficit amounts to \$3000.09.

Due to the fact that some guaranteed memberships due prior to December 31, 1931, had not been sent in, although they will ultimately be realized, and that there has been advanced to the Committee on International Conference, by authorization of the Executive Committee, over \$1500.00 which in turn will be repaid during the next fiscal year, it was necessary to carry over into the fiscal year \$6769.51 of unpaid bills. Of this amount \$5858.04 represents two bills of printing, the Proceedings and Quarterly Bulletin, which were not submitted until December 31, 1931.

Budget for 1932—The budget for 1932 is also herewith presented. It is the expectation of your Treasurer that the budget will be balanced on December 31, 1932. Estimates of income from membership either through renewal or new memberships are based on a conservative consideration of the experience of the past two years, 1930 and 1931. Unless the rate of renewal and the rate of new memberships, in view of the estimated attendance at Philadelphia, is greatly less than the experience of the past two years would indicate, this income should be realized. The balance of the estimated income represents either guarantees or relatively small items based on the

experience of the past year. The estimated expenditures call for carrying on the Conference on about the same level as for the past two years with rigid economy in office operation and in all other ways where economy can be practiced. There are only two new items of any significance, the addition of expert publicity service at the time of the annual meeting and another full time stenographer in the Conference office rather than part time service as used last year. Because of rearrangement of staff work, this means a net increase in salaries of \$500.00.

Membership—Your attention is called to the report on status of membership on December 31, 1931, as compared with the same date of 1930 and of 1928. The membership record prior to December 31, 1928, was not analyzed to give comparable figures.

After careful consideration and discussion the Executive Committee at its meeting on January 5, 1932, voted its approval of the Treasurer's report for the fiscal period June 1, 1931, to December 31, 1931, and adopted the budget for the fiscal year 1932 as presented.

The Secretary and/or Treasurer will be very happy to receive comments, criticisms, or suggestions from any member of the Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. STILLMAN,
Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM ACCRUED RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES

Fiscal Period Ended December 31, 1931.

Operating Deficit		\$ 150.48
Guaranteed Memberships:		
Philadelphia		\$1350.00
Detroit		995.00
Loan to Committee on International Conference		1574.90
Bills Payable		6769.51
Operating Deficit		3000.09
		\$6919.99
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MEMBERSHIP—NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL WORK

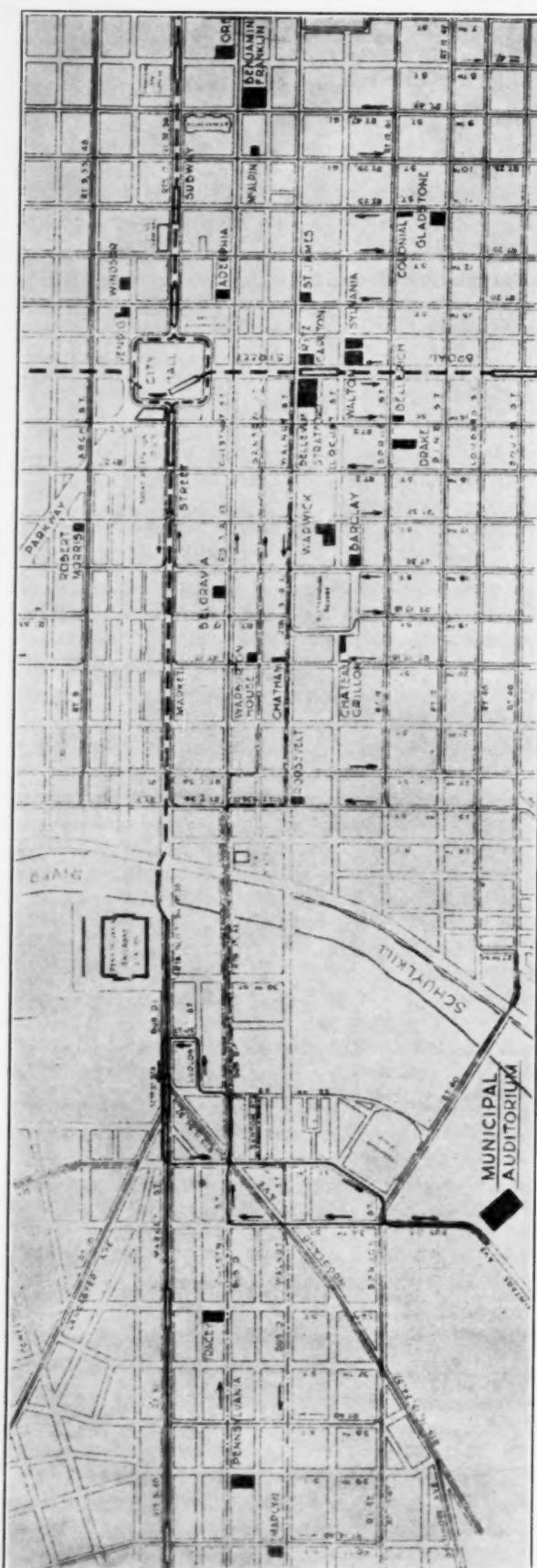
December 31, 1928, 1930, and 1931.

	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$10.00	\$25.00	Total
1931 No. members	1852	2198	352	440	4842
1930 No. members	1391	2142	322	411	4266
Gain	461	56	30	29	576
1931 Value	\$5556.	\$10990.	\$3520.	\$11000.	\$31066.
1930 Value	5173.	10710.	3220.	10275.	29378.
Gain	\$ 383.	\$ 280.	\$ 300.	\$ 725.	\$ 1688.
1931 No. members	1852	2198	352	440	4842
1928 No. members	1041	1416	275	374	3106
Gain	811	782	77	66	1736
1931 Value	\$5556.	\$10990.	\$3520.	\$11000.	\$31066.
1928 Value	3123.	7080.	2750.	9350.	22303.
Gain	\$2433.	\$3910.	\$770.	\$1650.	\$8763.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL WORK FINANCIAL STATEMENT

December 31, 1931

Budget January 1 to December 31, 1932



HOTEL RESERVATIONS AT PHILADELPHIA

Requests for hotel reservations may be made on the attached blank. Please indicate more than one preference so that if it is not possible for Mr. Devine to locate you at the hotel you wish first at the price you designate, he

can secure a room for you at your second or third choice hotel. Applications should be sent directly to Mr. Frank L. Devine, Chairman, Committee on Hotels and Housing, Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, 12th and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia. Following is the list of hotels with rates:

Hotels	With Bath	
	Single	Double
Adelphia 13th and Chestnut Sts.	\$4.00 up	\$6.00 up
Barclay Rittenhouse Square, E.	\$5.00 up	\$7.00 up
Bellevue-Stratford Broad and Walnut Sts.	\$4.00 up	\$6.00 up
Benjamin Franklin 9th and Chestnut Sts.	\$4.00 up	\$6.00 up
Chatham 20th and Walnut Sts.	\$4.00 up	\$5.00 up
Colonial 11th and Spruce Sts.	\$2.50 up	\$3.50 up
Drake 1512 Spruce St.	\$4.00 up	\$7.00 up
Elks Broad at Vine St.	\$2.50 up	\$4.00 up
Fairfax 43rd and Chestnut Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$5.00 up
Green's 8th and Chestnut Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$4.50 up
Lafayette 1339 Arch St.	\$3.00 up	\$5.00 up
Lorraine Broad and Fairmount Ave.	\$2.50	\$4.50
Marilyn 40th and Walnut Sts.	\$2.50 up	\$4.00 up
McAlpin 111 S. 10th St.	\$2.50 up	\$4.50 up
Pennsylvania 39th and Chestnut Sts.	\$2.50 up	\$4.00 up
Rittenhouse 22nd and Chestnut Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$5.00 up
Ritz-Carlton Broad and Walnut Sts.	\$6.00 up	\$10.00 up
Robert Morris 17th and Arch Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$4.50 up
Roosevelt 23rd and Walnut Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$5.00 up
Spruce 13th and Spruce Sts.	\$2.50 up	\$4.00 up
Stephen Girard 2027 Chestnut St.	\$2.50 up	\$3.50 up
Sylvania Juniper and Locust St.	\$3.50 up	\$6.00 up
Vendig 13th and Filbert Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$5.00 up
Walnut Park Plaza 63rd and Walnut Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$5.00
Walton Broad and Locust Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$4.50 up
Warburton (Women Only) 20th and Sansom Sts.	\$3.00 up	\$5.00 up
Warwick 17th and Locust Sts.	\$5.00 up	\$8.00 up

Rooms without bath at a lower rate are available at the following hotels: Bellevue-Stratford, Colonial, Green's, Lafayette, Lorraine, McAlpin, Rittenhouse, Spruce, Stephen Girard, Walton, and Warburton.

HOTEL RESERVATION

Please reserve _____ at about \$ _____ per day, from May _____
to May _____, 1932. Prefer Hotel _____

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Signed _____

Address _____

Mail to Frank L. Devine, Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, 12th and Walnut Sts., Philadelphia.

HOTEL HEADQUARTERS

The Benjamin Franklin is headquarters hotel for the National Conference of Social Work. A number of the Associate and Special Groups have designated special hotel headquarters as listed here. The information service and so forth will be at the Philadelphia Auditorium. Please use blank on this page when writing for your hotel reservation.

Group	Hotel
National Conference of Social Work	Benjamin Franklin
American Association of Psychiatric Social Workers	Bellevue Stratford
American Association of Public Welfare Officials	Benjamin Franklin
American Association of Social Workers	Benjamin Franklin
American Social Hygiene Association	Benjamin Franklin

Big Brother and Big Sister Federation	Stephen Girard
Child Welfare League of America	Benjamin Franklin
Episcopal Social Work Conference	Pennsylvania
Family Welfare Association of America	Sylvania
Girls Protective Council	Benjamin Franklin
Mothers' Aid Group	Benjamin Franklin
National Association of Travelers Aid Societies	Pennsylvania
National Child Labor Committee	Walton
National Conference Jewish Social Service	Benjamin Franklin
National Federation of Settlements	Bellevue Stratford
National Probation Association	Bellevue Stratford
State Conference Secretaries	Benjamin Franklin

For other information write or wire

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National Conference of Social Work
82 North High Street,
Columbus, Ohio.

or ELLA HARRIS, *Secretary*,
Philadelphia Committee on Arrangements,
311 South Juniper Street,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE of SOCIAL WORK

82 North High Street

COLUMBUS, OHIO



AN INVITATION TO YOU

An amount of money running into hundreds of millions, far more than in any similar period, will be expended this year in various forms of social work and particularly in an effort to relieve distress due to unemployment. No longer is social work a matter of private concern to a few individuals. It is a matter which concerns practically every local government, every state government and the national government itself. If any justification is needed for conferring on these matters at Philadelphia May 15th to 21st, this fact alone would seem sufficient.

Tremendous as are the responsibilities connected with the administration of unemployment relief and the removal of the causes necessitating it, these are by no means the only reasons why social workers and board members should give the matter of attendance at the Philadelphia Conference their serious consideration. Our country and other large portions of the world have become relief-conscious, so that the future of organized social work, in the many forms as we know it, may be at stake. The conventional methods and theories of social work are being challenged. Never before in the history of the world have social workers been called on to face so critical a situation as at present. We must analyze the new trends, determine what is good and seek to adjust our activities accordingly. What could be more reasonable than that we should come together to consider our common problems and to gain the best information and ideas that we know how to secure.

Twenty-six years ago the National Conference of Social Work, then called the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, held at Philadelphia the largest session in its history. It was a notable Conference and there is every reason to believe that the one in May will be of like character. Those who attend will not only have the inspiration and help that is certain to result from the discussion of common problems, but in Philadelphia and neighboring cities they will have opportunity to come into immediate contact with some outstanding examples of the best organized pieces of social work that can be found anywhere in America.

Whether or not you are a member of the Conference or a social worker or a board member of some social service organization, if you have a real interest in human welfare, you are cordially invited to this great Conference.

C.W. Bookman
President.